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Title: SECURITY ROOM FOR INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY FACILITIES

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

I hereby certify that the following requisites of the subject patent application are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail Post Office to Addressee No. EL815472480US, on 16 August 2001, and is addressed to Box PCT, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, together with the items listed below.

- Transmittal Letter (Form PTO-1390), in duplicate
- Executed German Language Declaration (4 pages), attached to a German language copy of the International Application

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- Recordation Form Cover Sheet, together with executed Assignment Document (2 pages)
- Request for Refund (37 CFR 1.28(a)) for International Application Entering National Stage in U.S. Elected Office (EO/US) Under 35 USC 371, in duplicate
- Executed Claim for Small Entity Status document
- A check in the amount of \$105.00 to cover the fees set forth in the Transmittal Letter
- Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)
- Return Receipt Postcard

Respectfully submitted,



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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

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TITLE OF INVENTION

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

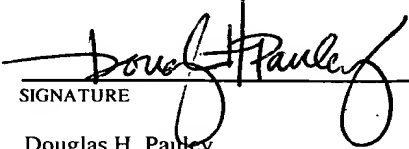
1. ☐ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☒ This is a **SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☐ This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4. ☐ A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5. ☐ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. ☐ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☐ A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). (verified)
7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). (4 pages, executed, attached to a copy of the International Application)
10. ☐ A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:

11. ☐ A First Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☒ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☐ A FIRST preliminary amendment.
☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
14. ☐ A substitute specification.
15. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
16. ☒ Other items or information:
 - Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371
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17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted: BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)): Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO \$ 860.00 International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) \$ 690.00 No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) \$ 710.00 Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO \$ 1,000.00 International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(2)-(4) \$ 100.00				CALCULATIONS		PTO USE ONLY	
ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =							
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).				\$ 130.00			
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE				
Total claims	- 20 =		X \$18.00				
Independent claims	- 03 =		X \$80.00				
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ \$270.00				
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$ 130.00			
Reduction of 1/2 for filing by small entity, if applicable. Verified Small Entity Statement must also be filed (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				\$ 65.00			
SUBTOTAL =				\$ 65.00			
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).				+			
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$ 65.00			
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property				+			
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =				\$ 105.00			
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a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ <u>105.00</u> to cover the above fee is enclosed. b. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>19-3550</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.							
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.							
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**REQUEST FOR REFUND (37 CFR 1.28(a)) FOR
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION ENTERING NATIONAL STAGE
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I. SUBMISSION OF VERIFIED STATEMENT

Attached is a verified statement claiming small entity status in this application.

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II. REFUND REQUEST

This request for refund is made within three months of the date a fee was paid in this application on 16 May 2001 in the amount of \$860.00.


III. FEES PAID FOR WHICH REFUND REQUESTED

- (a) x Filing Fee under 37 CFR 1.492 \$ 860.00
- (b) Fees for claims under 37 CFR
1.492(b), (c) or (d) \$
- (c) Surcharge for filing the Oath
or Declaration on a date later
than 30 months from the earliest
priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) \$
- TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED: \$ 430.00

IV. MANNER OF REFUND

Please make refund by crediting Deposit Account No. 19-3550.

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